## Model Guidelines for the Wearing of Uniforms in Public Schools

## See:

http://www.doe.virginia.gov/boe/guidance/administration\_governance/model\_guidelines\_uniforms.pdf

Statewide guidelines for developing school uniform policies were initially called for in response to Senate Bill 1054 passed by the Virginia general assembly in 1995. This legislation required the Virginia Board of Education to develop guidelines for local school boards to use when requiring students to wear uniforms at school. The statute further authorized local school boards to establish requirements consistent with the Board's guidelines for students to wear uniforms while attending any school affected by the student uniform policy.

These guidelines are designed to provide assistance for consideration by local school officials, administrators, and teachers in formulating their local policies and decisions.